GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Tree Cutting – East Godavari District - Rampachodavaram Division – Addateegala Mandal – D. Bheemavaram Village - Permission to cut and transport of Neem trees lying in the Patta lands of 6 Tribal farmers, in relaxation of Rule 3(1) and the procedure laid down in Rule 8 of A.P. Preservation of Private Forest Rules, 1978-Accorded-Orders issued.

ENVIRONMENT, FOREST, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (Section-II) DEPARTMENT.

G.O.RT.No. 23 **Dated: 19-01-2016**

Read the following:-

1. From District Collector, East Godavari Lr Ref No. 5/1988/2009, dated. -7- 2011 addressed to Government through PCCF, AP.
2. From District Collector, East Godavari Lr Ref No. 5/1984/2009, dated. -7- 2011 addressed to Government through PCCF, AP.
3. From District Collector, East Godavari lr Ref No. 5/1985/2009, dated -7- 2011 addressed to Government through PCCF, AP.
4. From District Collector, East Godavari lr Ref No. 5/1983/2009, dated -7- 2011 addressed to Government through PCCF, AP.
5. From District Collector, East Godavari lr Ref No. 5/1986/2009, dated -7- 2011 addressed to Government through PCCF, AP.
6. From District Colector, East Godavari lr Ref No. 5/1982/2009, dated -7- 2011 addressed to Government through PCCF, AP.

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ORDER:

In the letters 1st to 6th read above, the District Collector, East Godavari has submitted proposals to the Government through the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad for according felling, and transport permission for the Neem trees lying in the Patta lands of the following applicants:-

Sl. No.	Name	Survey Nos.	Village & Mandal	No. of Neem trees
1.	Smt. Kostu Suryakantham W/o Satyam	114	D. Bheemavaram Village, Addateegala Mandal, Rampachodavaram Division	10
2.	Sri Chekka Lingeswara Rao S/o Venkanna	130,139 and 178.	D. Bheemavaram Village, Addateegala Mandal, Rampachodavaram Division	79
3	Sri. Teegala Tatabbai S/o Pentayya	115	D. Bheemavaram Village, Addateegala Mandal, Rampachodavaram Division	12
4	Sri Mylabhoina Baludora, S/o. Bodidora	157	D. Bheemavaram Village, Addateegala Mandal, Rampachodavaram Division	32
5	Sri. Chekka Lingayyamma W/o Kondalarao	113	D. Bheemavaram Village, Addateegala Mandal, Rampachodavaram Division	31
6	Sri. Mylabhoina Malleswararao S/o Laxmayya	162	D. Bheemavaram Village, Addateegala Mandal, Rampachodavaram Division	63

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2. The District Collector, East Godavari in his proposals has reported that the Divisional Forest Officer Kakinada has submitted that trees in the patta lands were causing hindrance to the agriculture and horticultural crops and by according permission to fell these trees there will not be any threat to the wealth of natural surrounding forests and there are no Neem trees available naturally in the nearby forests. The Tahsildar, Addateegala has reported that he has verified all Revenue Records i.e. Adangal & FMB and the patta lands were inspected and found that the Neem trees are aged about 25 to 30 years and also more than 20 feet height and are ripen for cutting stage.

3. Government after careful examination of the proposals of the District Collector, East Godavari and the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad, hereby accord permission for cutting and transportation of all the Neem trees mentioned above pertaining to the 6 Tribal farmers, from their respective patta lands in D. Bheemavaram Village, Addateegala Mandal, East Godavari District in relaxation of Rule 3(1) and the procedure laid down in Rule 8 of A.P. Preservation of Private Forest Rules, 1978, in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 28 B (3) of A.P. Forest Act, 1967, subject to payment of Security Deposit of 10% of value of produce by the applicants with the Divisional Forest Officer concerned. The Security Deposit will be released soon after the transport of produce satisfactorily.

4. The District Collector, East Godavari is directed to take further necessary action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ASHWINI KUMAR PARIDA
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The District Collector, East Godavari, Kakinada

Copy to
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force,
Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.- For information.
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